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"KEBS" BOYCOTT; SOCIETY GIRLS TO WALK HEREAFTER

Several of Them Meet and
Discuss Raise in Rates
For Carriages.

Decide They Will Have Mercy
on the Boys.

IS SOMETHING COSTLY. THIS

While many cities in the country have their boycotts on meat in force, Paducah comes to the front with something new. In that line—a boycott on carriages for the theater and afternoon and evening parties.

Like the meat boycotts, Paducah's was prompted by the greatly increased rates of the carriage owners. The women of Paducah are responsible for it, not the men.

A month or six weeks ago some of the local carriage lines got together and agreed to raise their tariff for serving patrons for the theater and weddings and receptions. All went along nicely enough, for the men, who pay the bills, concluded there was nothing to do, and that the cab lines are probably justified in making the raise. But the women soon heard of it, and there was a "get-together" meeting, where the question was brought up and duly considered, and the unanimous conclusion was that they would tell their gentlemen friends they are willing to walk to and from the theater on pleasant nights.

"It's a generous spirit," said a young society man today, "but I confess I did not know how to take it when a young lady friend of mine told me about it. I had an engagement to take her to the theater a few evenings ago, and about 7 o'clock she called me up, and in a very modest sort of way told me about the meeting and the decision of the girls."

"While I shall wear a party gown," she said, "I shall wear my heavy shoes, and we shall walk."

"Of course, I protested, and told her that not all of the cab lines had increased their rates, and even had those trashed them, I would not think of permitting her to walk. But she was firm in her determination, so we walked. I saw other young folks do the same thing."

Other young society men were seen today by a reporter for The Evening Sun and, while all of them had not heard of the boycott, they were loud in their praise of the action of the girls.

"Of course," one of them said, "we boys will feel odd doing the walking about, with our lady friends dressed in their best, but I think if the girls are so thoughtful, and are willing to do it, it will be right."

"While labor unions, state legislatures and congressional committees are investigating the causes of the very high prices, I think the society folk would be justified in doing the same, for it costs money to keep up with the procession nowadays. Indeed, it is as expensive here in Paducah now as it is in the cities. When we boys go to a show there are \$3 for tickets; then comes our supper afterwards, and on top of this is the \$2 cab fare. Just take your pen and, considering that we have an average of two shows a week that call for these things, you will see our social indulgences absorb a big proportion of a modest salary."

The manager of one of the cab lines had not heard of the boycott, but he was eager to give his side of the question, to justify his position.

"We used to pay 40 cents a bushel for corn," he said, "and \$10 a ton for hay. Now we pay 60 cents for corn and \$12 for hay. Our drivers demand better wages, our employees in the stable cost more and every item of expense is greater. We were not making any money at the rates in force, and it was a question of charging more or going out of business."

Other cab line owners who were in on the increased rates told much the same story. A few of the owners have not increased their rates, and said business is better with them than it has been for months.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCES
OF METHODIST CHURCHES.

The Rev. W. J. Meek, presiding elder of the Paducah district, announced the following quarterly conferences of Methodist churches:

Fountain Avenue, Jan. 30; Broadway, Feb. 6; South Side, Feb. 13; Benton and Hardin, at Hardin, Feb. 19, 20; Bremberg, at Mt. Carmel, Feb. 22; One Level, at New Hope, Feb. 26, 27; Reidland, at Oakland, March 5, 6; Wingo, at Doubtless, March 12, 13; Sedalia, at Poynter, March 14; Mayfield, March 18, 20; Mayfield Second church, at Spence, March 19, 20.

Governor Willson Sends Message to Legislature Today, Endorsing Tax Amendment to Constitution

Eugene Graves Calls For Committees and Shows Up County Unit Without Major-ity in House.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28. (Special)—Governor Willson sent a special message to the legislature urging reforms in the method of taxation, the urges the adoption of the tax plan submitted by the special commission through a constitutional amendment.

In the house Jack Chinn offered a resolution, claiming the law is being applied in the Frankfort penitentiary at the request of contractors and urging an investigation of the prison management. He claimed a former resolution adopted by the house for inquiry was merely the effect of a white wash. The house referred the resolution.

Chinn said no bills could be passed in the legislature without the consent of a swarm of lobbyists who were worse than ever saw.

On motion of Eugene Graves of McCracken, the house session continued for a call of committee. Waggoner opposed the plan, fearing the county unit would thus be put back in the calendar. The vote to continue was 36 to 23, showing a majority against the county unit.

Representative Hines, from Warren county, today said that it was his intention to introduce a resolution next Monday to have a committee appointed for the purpose of making an investigation of alleged cruelty in the state prisons, representative Wilson is chairman of the prison committee and he wants two Democrats and two Republicans placed on the committee to conduct the investigation.

The prison committees from both houses left today on a junket to visit and inspect both prisons. The Frankfort penitentiary was inspected and the committee left today for the branch prison at Eddyville.

BREATHITT ELECTION CASE.

Chairman Hugh Marion, of the committee in the case of R. C. Hines vs. Dr. J. S. Evans, from Lee county, reported in favor of the contesting member, who is a Democrat. The testimony, which was in the form of deposition, was highly entertaining. It was to the effect that in one precinct Sam Callahan, a Republican, and brother of Ed Callahan, appeared in company with 30 armed men. A dispute arose as to some question, and the election officers decided to move the voting place to Sam Callahan's house.

Callahan, according to the testimony, then announced that the voting place would be moved to his house, but that no "d—d" Democrat was going to vote there, and they need not go to the trouble of trying.

In another precinct, one of the election officers was shot and killed.

WHAT RETURNS SHOWED.

The returns from the Callahan pre-

(Continued on Page Four.)

Cousins Marry Here.

In order to dodge the Illinois law preventing cousins from marrying, Mrs. R. Morse and M. O. Morse, a couple from Illinois, came to Paducah this morning. The license was granted and the marriage ceremony was performed in County Court Clerk Singleton's office by the Rev. G. T. Sullivan.

SECOND ESCAPE FOR THIS PAIR

HELD AT MADRID FOR JAIL-
BREAKING IN PADUCAH
AND GET AWAY.

Robert Craig and Dave Slagle, two alleged brass thieves, who escaped from the McCracken county jail last summer and who were caught last October at New Madrid, Mo., on a charge of robbery, have made their second get-away from the New Madrid jail and are at large. They escaped with Jack Slagle, brother of Dave, a few days ago.

The news reached Detective T. J. Moore today in a letter from Sheriff S. H. Hampton, of New Madrid. Slagle and Craig are now wanted here and there, but have not been apprehended.

Last summer when the wholesale jail delivery was made at the county jail delivery was made at the county jail, Craig and Slagle, who were being held with George McKenzie and Arch Bottoms on charges of stealing brass from the Illinois Central railroad, escaped. They were at large until October when Craig and Slagle together with Slagle's brother were arrested in Missouri. The jailer there notified County Jailer Eaker of the catch, but said he would hold them as the commonwealth had a strong case against them. If they failed to convict them the jailer promised to turn Craig and Slagle over to Jailer Eaker. Weeks passed and no further word was received. A few days ago Detective Moore wrote to Sheriff Hampton and today the letter came, announcing their escape.

George McKenzie and Archel Bottoms have never been apprehended.

CADILLAC SOLD HERE.

Dr. S. Z. Holland received a fully equipped 30 horsepower Cadillac this morning from the Kentucky Automobile company, the state agents, at Louisville. The machine was sold by Mr. George M. Younger, a member of the firm, who is western sales manager for the machine. This is the first Cadillac sold in Paducah, and is a duplicate of the machine that Mr. Younger drove here from Louisville. Dr. Holland has engaged Virgil Harton to drive the car.

There is a ray of hope that the Glidden automobile tour for the summer of 1910 may pass through Paducah. Should the motor car drivers get busy, and pull together the trip might be arranged so as to bring the cars through Paducah. This year the tour will start from Cincinnati, providing the Cincinnati Automobile club can guarantee the parent body a definite route from Cincinnati to Memphis. The route will include Cincinnati, Louisville, Lexington, Nashville, Memphis, Little Rock, or New Orleans, Dallas, Oklahoma City, Topeka, St. Joseph, Des Moines, Cedar Rapids, Davenport and Chicago.

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Marshall Home Burns

Sharpe, Ky., Jan. 28. (Special)—

Fire destroyed a three-room house on the farm of Joe Johnson, in Marshall county, three miles from here, last night about 9 o'clock. The house was occupied by Wes Dodson, who with his family was attending a singing at a church a short distance away.

The house was ablaze all over when discovered and nothing was saved.

The loss is estimated at \$500.

ASSESSMENT WILL BE
INCREASED BY \$300,000

An increase of \$250,000 in the value of personal property in the city, it is estimated, will be made by the city board of supervisors, which will hear complaints next week regarding over assessments. Today the police department was given a stack of notices several inches high to serve on citizens, whose personal property has been assessed at a higher figure. No doubt there will be a multitude of kicks, but the supervisors are loaded for trouble. The real estate raise was \$58,499. This year the white real estate is assessed at \$3,655,438 while the buildings are valued at \$3,814,720. The colored real estate is valued at \$107,260 and the buildings at \$111,593, making a total valuation of \$7,639,113. In 1909 the assessed valuation of real estate and buildings of white taxpayers is \$7,412,994. The value of real estate and buildings owned by colored people is \$217,615, making a total of \$7,630,614.

Tobacco Sales

In a loose leaf tobacco sale, marked by a very common break in the crop, 26,000 pounds were sold at Holmier's warehouse this morning.

There were two rejections. The highest price was \$8.90 and the lowest \$4.70 averaging \$8.37. Mr. Ridgeway, of Hopkinsville, was among the buyers present.

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SEINE SUBSIDES AS FLOOD'S CREST PASSES THE CITY

Paris Finds Horror of Pest-
ilence Lurking Over Reced-
ing Waters.

CELLARS FULL OF SEWAGE ALL
OVER CITY.

BRINKING WATER POLLUTED.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The Seine became practically stationary at 9 o'clock this morning. It is expected to begin to fall in a few hours. The Marine is already dropping. The announcement that the crest of the flood is past was received joyously.

Relieved of their terror lest the Seine continues rising, people realize today as never before the extent of the damage done to the city, and the great amount of suffering in the various wards of Paris. One of the worst fears now is of a pestilence, following the subdoling of the flood. Nearly every cellar in the city is flooded with sewerage. This, coupled with the contamination of the city's water sources, and countless deposits everywhere, makes the menace of disease the gravest problem that must be faced before the rebuilding of the city.

Telegraphic communication between Paris and the outside world is badly crippled today by the storm and flood. Lines have been so badly broken and so many offices have been flooded in various cities that communication can only be established now with a few outside cities and these by a roundabout routing of messages.

There is no direct cable communica-

cation between Paris and England.

Imports from the upper Seine and Marne say people wept and shrieked with joy when they learned the river is receding. Town criers announced the joyful news. Drum corps were formed and marched through the streets. The whole population turned out to celebrate the promised delivery from the flood.

BRITISH BOAT WRECKED.

London, Jan. 28.—The British torpedo destroyer Eden is a wreck today on the shore near Dover. She broke her moorings during last night's storm, and was driven ashore.

The crew of forty was rescued today by breeches buoys. Tugs tried vainly to pull the Eden from her perilous position, but an eighty-mile wind finally forced the tugs to seek safety themselves.

It is now believed the total deaths from the coast storms will reach 300 or 400. Every hour brings additional bodies washed ashore. Hundreds of small boats are lost.

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Glavis Resumes Stand at Hearing of Ballinger Charges Before Joint Committee of the Congress Today

His Attorney Files Numerous
Documents as Exhibits in
Evidence... Senator Nelson
Sends for Copy.

Washington, Jan. 28.—When Glavis resumed the stand at the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry today, his counsel, Attorney Brandis, presented to the committee a long list of documents he desired to be introduced as evidence. In response to Brandis' reference to Judge Sanford's decision in Seattle Wednesday in the Wilson coal cases, Senator Nelson said he had wired for a full copy of the opinion.

OMNIBUS BILL.

Washington, Jan. 28. (Special)—An omnibus public building bill will be passed by the house this session.

Postal Savings Bank.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The report to the senate, recommending the passage of the postal savings bank bill, was decided upon by the senate post-office committee today. Senator Carter, Republi- can of Montana, is instructed to make report.

WHITE WASH APPLIED IN NICARAGUA MURDER

Bluffield, Jan. 28.—The provi-
dential government today has been in-
formed by dispatches from Managua that officers of the court-martial re-
sponsible for the execution of Can-
non and Grove have been exonerated
in an investigation promoted by Mud-
rich. It is said the Mudrich adminis-
tration will drop the charges against
the officers and no further action
will be taken.

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cation between Paris and England.

This Free Remedy Helps Sickly Babies

Babies and children suffer mostly from the stomach. There is something wrong with the milk or with the eggs or with the minor articles of food, for it doesn't take much to disturb a child's stomach. One thing the mother can always be sure of and that is that no harm can come from giving a small dose of a mild laxative, for it is sure to be better off for it. You know your own feeling of lightness and ease when that function has been performed, so how much more important is it to the child?

Watch carefully that your child does not become constipated, for if it does not move at least once in the morning or the bowel each day, it is constipated. From constipation comes headache, a feeling of oppression, and with many other ills. In these troubles you can obtain nothing better than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Peppermint. Give it, the small doses prescribed for children, and watch how sickly child become healthy and well, full of appetite and energy.

Mothers all over this country have been using this remedy for a quarter

of a century and many heads of families like Mr. C. L. Lynch of Billingsley, Ala., and Mrs. A. C. Moore of Paducah, Ky., could not keep house without it. They have long ago discontinued tablets, pills, salts, and such things for the number are gentle and specific to Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Peppermint, which every member of the family, from the youngest to the oldest, can use with safety. It is the most popular, more famous today than any other laxative, but if you have never used it Dr. Caldwell will urge you to name him your name and address, and we will send a sample bottle free of charge. If its use convinces you that it is the remedy you have been looking for for long it is only 25 cents a bottle, or 50 cents a bottle, just as many others are doing.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire, and will prescribe for the stomach, liver or bowels absolutely free of charge. Explain your case in a letter and we will reply to you soon. For the first time we will give your name and address on a postcard or otherwise. For either request the doctor's address is Dr. W. H. Caldwell, 1507 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

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Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 28.—Chancellor F. H. Heiskell in the chancery court, here today declared the law creating a commission form of government for this city under which the present incumbents of the city government were recently elected, unconstitutional.

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the smallest pieces of property to change hands and have a deed filed. The property is located on North Fourth street near Broadway. It is just north of the Sherrill saloon and is occupied by a hole-in-the-wall lunch stand. The deed of the narrow strip of property was made because when Mr. Goodman purchased the property on North Fourth street it was discovered through an error that the strip of property was not included.

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WHO STARTED BEEF PROBE

FORCED JUDGE LANDIS TO BEGIN THE INVESTIGATION

Jurymen Got Their Data at Previous Investigation and Threatened to Make Public Statement

WADE ELLIS REACHES CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 28.—Four members of the federal grand jury which investigated the so-called "beef trust" in 1908 forced the government, through Judge Landis, to start the present probe, according to a report current here today.

Assistant Attorney-General Wade H. Ellis, who spent the day here, declared that there was any friction among the government officials concerning the present investigation and also stated that District Attorney Edwin W. Sims would remain in charge.

Concerning the inception of the present action, it is said that there would have been none had the four dissatisfied jurymen not sought the aid of Judge Landis. This quartet, it is said, was willing to indict the packers in December, 1908, and finally became so indignant over the increasing price of meat that they informed Judge Landis that they thought it was time for the government to begin another action.

The report of the four jurors alleged that there was sufficient evidence submitted to the 1908 grand jury to warrant true bills and that in the face of this there was a suddenathy on the part of those behind the prosecution.

No Friction in Inquiry.

They also said that if the investigation was not immediately renewed they would make a joint statement to the public setting for their theory of why the prosecution had been dropped.

Following the jurors' complaint, Judge Landis is said to have made the investigation that resulted in the present action being started. Judge Landis, it is said, got in touch with the evidence submitted to the 1908 grand jury and determined that the present action shall not be nullified by influences arising outside the grand jury room.

In his statement concerning the purpose of his visit here and the scope of the present investigation, Mr. Ellis said:

"I have spent the day in conference with the United States district attorney and his assistants, and in a call upon Judge Landis, whom I have known pleasantly for many years. There is no friction whatever in the beef inquiry."

Will Be Criminal.

"The department of justice has been at work for five or six months investigating the developments of the meat industry since the last action by the government, and especially the relation of the situation to the prices of food products, with a view of ascertaining whether a cause of action now exists. The investigation will be conducted under the anti-trust statute and may be either civil or criminal."

"The proceedings now before the federal grand jury of this district are in line with the investigation. Ordinarily cases presented to the grand jury for trial in the courts are wholly within the routine duties of the United States attorney.

"Where, however, the subject of inquiry affects the country at large, and especially where it involves the complaint of a violation of the antitrust statute having a more than local effect, the attorney-general exercises a special supervision. He is

INSOMNIA

Leads to Madness, if Not Hemmed

In This.

"Experiments satisfied me, some 5 years ago," writes a Topeka woman, "that coffee was the direct cause of the insomnia from which I suffered terribly as well as the extreme nervousness and acute dyspepsia which made life a most painful thing for me.

"I had been a coffee drinker since childhood, and did not like to think that the beverage was doing me all this harm. But it was, and the time came when I had to face the fact, and protect myself. I therefore gave up coffee abruptly and absolutely, and adopted Postum for my hot drink at meals.

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particularly charged by the law with the enforcement of this act, and my duties in this behalf are also fixed by statute under his direction.

Will Keep in Touch.

"There will be no change in the present instance. Mr. Sims, in whom the attorney-general has entire confidence, will present his testimony to the grand jury. After this testimony is in, I have no doubt the grand jury will do its full duty, both to the government and those against whom such testimony may be adduced.

"During the progress of the inquiry I expect to keep in touch with it; to come to Chicago whenever it may seem necessary to participate, either now or later, in any way that shall seem advisable."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 28.

CIRCULATION DECEMBER, 1909.

1.....	6,675	16.....	6,744
2.....	6,676	17.....	6,795
3.....	6,676	18.....	6,879
4.....	6,699	20.....	6,798
6.....	6,708	21.....	6,787
7.....	6,711	22.....	6,783
8.....	6,714	23.....	6,773
9.....	8,253	24.....	6,782
10.....	6,755	27.....	6,770
11.....	6,749	28.....	6,770
12.....	6,750	29.....	6,772
14.....	6,747	30.....	6,767
15.....	6,744	31.....	6,767
Total	176,986		
Average December, 1909.....	6,806		
Average December, 1908.....	5,146		
Average December, 1907.....	3,819		

On this day appeared before me, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms the above statement is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR.

Notary Public, McCracken Co. Ky.
My commission expires January 10, 1912Daily Thought.
Defer not till tomorrow to be wise—Congreve.

THE MEAT BOYCOTT.

The meat boycott has been on about a week. The packers have taken advantage of the situation to beat down the price of stock on foot and drivers, frantic over the outlook, are driving their stock to the market faster than it can be handled. Now, a Kentucky legislator in the hope of hurting the beef trust, introduces a measure to prohibit the sale of beef more than 72 hours old, which would keep refrigerated beef out of competition with the home butchered meat—and where does he think the price would go then?

Some one suggested that the tariff causes the high price; but the department of agriculture estimates that the tariff on butter, for instance, is three cents, and the difference between the prices in Canada and the United States is about fifteen cents. Moreover the export of farm products and meat have fallen off a hundred million dollars in ten years, indicating that more of the meat and farm products are going into domestic consumption now than ever before. Evidently the supply is larger; is it not then equally certain that the demand has increased to an even greater extent?

If the beef trust is taking such large profits out of the handling of the meat, robbing the farmer on the one hand and the local butcher on the other, why cannot the local butchers beat the trust at the game by killing their own hogs and undermining the trust?

They can't do it, because the packers make their big profits off the sale of by-products, and are able to meet the local butchers' conditions on their own grounds.

The beef trust probably will unearth some unethical conditions in connection with the trust, that will give us a better grasp on the question of controlling gigantic corporations and take us a step nearer the solution of our complicated economic questions; but the fact remains, that the urban population overbalances the rural population, and we must lend our efforts to restoring the balance.

Nor must we allow our interest in the subject to exhaust itself on the beef issue. It goes deeper than the mere excessive price of this food. Temporary makeshifts will not meet the requirements. We must face the necessity of conserving resources, reclaiming land, developing soil productivity, and saving up our fuel and water rights, lest future generations be confronted with a situation more distressing than the price of meat.

SAVE THE WATER POWER.

Unless we are mistaken in our source of information, Stewart Edward White in an excellent article in this week's Saturday Evening Post, does former President Roosevelt an injustice when he declares Mr. Roosevelt has no authority to withdraw land temporarily from entry. We think Mr. Roosevelt held just as President Taft and Pinchot held, that the president is justified in overstepping the bounds of authority and withdrawing land until congress has had time to act.

That brings us to an important point, illuminated by Mr. White's article; that we are not so much concerned with what congress does about this Ballinger-Pinchot controversy as we are with what congress does about legislation to make permanent what

the executive has started in the way of saving the water power from the exploitation of monopolists. It is not sufficient, as he says, to prevent jobs being put through. We need some affirmative legislation on the subject, and the way to get it is not to abuse or praise the president, but to inform your congressmen and senators personally that you demand their votes for conservation, and let them know that you understand the subject and are not to be deceived.

HIS PREDECESSORS.

In his salutary A. A. Cross, now editor and proprietor publisher of the Benton Tribune-Democrat, has this to say of his predecessors, who are well known locally:

"There is J. R. Lemon, that genial apostle of sunshine, of laughter, and of song, whose graphic pen painted pictures for the admiring and applauding public and whose flashing wit and humorous good-nature have so long, and continue still, to charm the newspaper world.

"There is W. M. Oliver, that legal giant, whose fertile imagination, and untiring energy, made him such a factor in moulding public sentiment, and shaping the destinies of political aspirants for official position, and whose recognized ability has played such a conspicuous part in the annals of Marshall county.

"And last, but not least, is our immediate predecessor, Judge E. Barry, who, from the humblest station in life, has, by his energy, industry and close application to duties, been elevated, by his people to the following prominent positions of trust, all of which he filled with credit to himself, and honor to the people whom he served: County school superintendent, county judge, representative in the state legislature, administrator and receiver of large estates, president Benton Hotel company, president Benton Fraternity company, president of County School Improvement League, and member of executive committee state press association. We are loth to give him and his interesting family up, knowing full well how difficult it will be to fill their places. We commend them most heartily to the people with whom they have decided to cast their lot, wishing them health, happiness, long life and prosperity in abundance."

READING CHARACTER.

We often hear people boast of their ability to read character in a face, as though dimensions and proportions of the lineaments bounded the scope of emotions and impulses as they limit the play of expressions. Reading skill, in the face is not a matter of skill, but of opportunity. Who can gaze into a face swept by the storms of a hundred daily anxieties, dimly expressing the tumult of a thousand secret emotions, reflecting the sunshine of untold outward influences, showing forth constantly the composite results of all the sounds, sights, tastes, smells and contacts within the range of the senses, and tell whether that nature is all winter, or all summer, or what firmness underlies the changing surface signs?

But there are times when self-consciousness is gone, when the eyes cease to look out with the vision of an onlooker, and retreating purpose relaxes its hold and lets the mouth drop into natural repose. Then one may look, and read the conduct of a fellow being interpreted in terms of character, altering, perhaps at a glance, the impressions of a life time. Occasionally, a photograph catches this reposeful expression, one, it may be, his friends have never seen; and looking at it they may say in wonder, "we never knew he was that sort of man."

Kentucky Kernels

Infant of Pink Curling, Trigg dies.

Four thousand dollar fire at Rich mond.

Lexington city schools will need \$89,833.

Leon Threlkeld, of Smithland, breaks arm.

Three negroes escape from Hopkinsville jail.

Orlo Mitchell and R. T. Rutland, marry at Ithiel.

Alex King, former mayor of Sturgis, dies suddenly.

Traction line to be built from New port to Cynthiana.

Mary Williams and Rupert Provine, of McEuen, marry.

Tuberculosis Prevention society organized at Frankfort.

Judge E. Barry, of Benton, will move to Texas, Saturday.

Hell Wilson and Clarence W. Bard, of Fulton, to marry.

Miss Nina Ierner and Mr. A. W. Fowler, to marry at Cayce.

Henry Smith's libel suit in Trigg against Louisville Herald dismissed.

New bridge to be built at Henderson for traction line from Evansville.

Hoss Broadus, colored, shoots and kills Henry Hunter, colored, at Nelsonville.

Senator Samuel H. Piles, of Washington, will not be a candidate for re-election.

Fire destroys residence of Tom Hale and Mrs. J. H. Newnan, George Jones and Jim Moss, at Fulton.

Miss Delia R. Patch and Mr. J. D. Sharp, and Miss Luck E. Patch and Mr. T. L. Thomas marry at Hopkinsville.

Tanning snake skins for the manufacture of women's belts has become a lucrative industry of Madras.

PROTRUDING BOARD

STRIKES ENGINEER IN EYE AS HE LOOKS OUT CAB.

When a board protruding from the roof of a freight car struck him, Engineer S. D. Watkins, of the night switching crew in the north freight yards of the Illinois Central railroad, had a narrow escape last night from losing the sight of his left eye. Fortunately the board caught only the lower lid, which was lacerated, but his eyeball was not injured.

Engineer Watkins was on switch engine, No. 209, and was switching cars about 9:30 o'clock in the yards. His locomotive was backing and a string of box cars was standing on a side track. A board in the roof of one of the freight cars had slipped down and was extending out about a foot from the car. Engineer Watkins was in his cab and as he looked out the cab window the board struck him in the eye. The lower lid was caught and torn loose and folded back like a flap on a tent.

Watkins went to the railroad hospital, where it took the house surgeon about two hours to remove the splinters from his eye and to replace the lid in its position. His sight will not be impaired, although it will take considerable time for the injury to heal.

With one side of his face sealed, J. K. Cantrell, an employee of the Princeton force, was brought to the hospital last night. He was sealed by steam shooting out from a steam hose.

GOT THE DOG

BUT OWNER LEFT OPENING FOR THE OTHERS.

A wholesale delivery of dogs from the city pound, at the rear of the new central fire station on Kentucky avenue was made sometime last night and this morning. Mounted policeman discovered that 32 canines had escaped.

Through an opening made by a plank being torn away, the dogs were liberated and the police are investigating the case. On counting the dogs this morning, Patrolman Rice found 32 of them safe, and he thought the delivery was made a short time before the discovery.

Sixty-four dogs were housed up last night in the house, which is built against a plank fence at the rear of Tony Lismann's stable on Third street between Kentucky avenue and Washington street. An unknown man, it is said, discovered his dog had been taken up, knocked a plank from the fence and entered the dog house. He found his pup and left, going through Lismann's stable with the animal in his arms. Dogs began pouring out of the house and scattering in all directions. Many that stayed near the pen were caught this morning and locked up again.

Mr. Rice is working at a clew and hopes to find the boy at man. He is inclined to believe that the plank was torn away for spite work.

Dogs are being taken in every day and will be drowned Saturday in the river. The carcasses will afterwards be buried somewhere outside the city limits.

SECOND SEMESTER

For the purpose of enrolling pupils into the public school Superintendent J. A. Carnagay will be in his office all day tomorrow. All parents having children over six years old are urged to go in the morning if possible. A large number of new pupils are entering the schools. Parents are urged to accompany their children, so that information necessary for the enrollment may be secured. All children must be vaccinated before they can be admitted.

This afternoon all the pupils reported at their schools for the purpose of receiving their credits for the past semester. Figures as to the number of pupils promoted have not been obtained yet, but the semester was one of the most successful ever taught, despite the fact that a score of contagious diseases interfered with the attendance several months ago.

All the schools will open Monday morning for the second semester.

LEE HAGADORE RESCUED FROM DROWNING AT FLEET

Lee Hagadore was rescued from drowning about 6 o'clock last night at the Ayer & Lord Tugboat's fleet by Herbert Harkdale, John McFadden and John Coffey, who were returning from a fishing and hunting trip to Illinois. The trio were in the launch Abner and were crusing up the Tennessee river, headed for the N. C. & St. L. wharfboat, when they heard cries from the fleet at the Tennessee Island. They immediately turned and a few minutes later pulled Hagadore, half drowned, from the river. He had been placing lights on the barges when he slipped from a gunwhale and fell. He caught a rope and clung to it until nearly exhausted and was pulled out just as he released his grip. Hagadore is the night watchman on the towboat Russell Lord.

THE LEGISLATURE

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the return to the depositor of the voucher of such payment such depositor shall notify the bank or trust company that check so paid is forged or raised.

Points—Punishing with a fine of \$5,000 or imprisonment for five years or both, any one who loses a bank check, knowing that he or she has not sufficient money on credit to pay it.

Points—Permitting notaries who are stockholders directors, officers or employees of banks, etc., to take no knowledge affecting same.

Points—Act to punish makers of false statements to obtain property or credit.

Reynolds—Establishing crime of "hazing" in schools and colleges and elsewhere, making punishment a fine of \$10 to \$100 or one month to one year in prison, or both.

Points—Act to prevent destruction of rabbits.

Zimmerman—Providing that names of candidates put on a ballot by petition shall not be placed under device of political party entitled to nominate by primary or convention.

Akin—Amending section 1155, Kentucky statute, by inserting words "except in case of an idiot."

Cham—Providing amendment for dog tax law.

Newell—Providing additional registration days in counties whose registration of voters is required.

Coleman—Act to prevent spread of communicable disease among domestic animals in Kentucky.

Pogue—Act repealing the charter of Hydenburg public schools.

Price—Providing for registering all lobbyists in a book kept by the clerks of the two houses, to be known as "lobbyists' register," and making penalty for violation jail sentence.

Henry—Making owner of property on which money is lost at gambling liable for losses.

Henry—Regulating actions against monopolists for negligence.

Welch—Abolishing office of assessor; providing for taking of assessments by Justices of peace in respective magisterial districts.

Welch—Providing for reading the Bible in public schools.

Kadie—Relating to official newspaper in Second-class cities.

Kinn—Providing for safety of rail-

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Board of Public Works will receive bids for furnishing the city of Paducah gravel for the repairs of streets or for any other work that they may desire as follows:—

1. To furnish gravel for the territory north of Broadway to the city limits.

2. To furnish gravel for the territory south of Broadway to the city limits.

3. To furnish to my territory within the city limits.

The Board of Public Works will receive bids on the above three propositions, and reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

White Goods Sale

It has always been our pleasure to give the ladies of Paducah and vicinity each year a feast of white goods bargains—at this time of year. A sale of everything in white that one could desire. Values unequalled in quality and low prices by any they could buy elsewhere. Each year they look forward to this event and lay in all their immediate and many future needs. This year it promises you more than ever to buy during this sale for special price concessions will be made that cannot be duplicated later. We promise you this year, a bigger selection and better values than ever. It is not necessary to say when we bought the goods and how we got them, etc.—suffice it to say we have the goods and a look will convince you. The date of our Annual Saving Sale of White will be announced in a few days. Begin today planning what you will require this spring in white goods, wash goods, lace, muslin underwear, embroideries and all household items—make a list and watch for the big event.

At Rudy's

THE LOCAL NEWS

—GET IT AT GILBERT'S.
—Dr. Fonge, Osteopath. Phone 1407.

—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 642 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Rubber stamps, pens, brass stamps, etc., at the Sun office.

—Linen markers for sale at this office.

—Telephone. The Sun office for samples and prices of all kinds of typewriter papers.

Free city and farm real estate price list. Whittemore, Fraternity building. Phone 835.

—Sign writing. G. R. Sexton. Phone 401.

If you appreciate good coffee, visit Burdamer's restaurant, 219 Kentucky avenue. Open day and night.

—Wall paper sale. For two weeks, for cash, all 8¢ and 10¢ papers 5¢, 15¢ and 20¢ papers 10¢. Kelly & Fimbaugh.

—Phone 915, W. J. Lewis, for the best hack and cab service. Prompt attention, polite drivers. Office 199 South Fourth street.

—Flower Seeds that will grow enough to supply all Paducah, now on sale. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.

—As we have no rush jobs on hand at present we are now more ably prepared to give you fine workmanship on carriages and automobile painting, also carriage repairing and upholstery. Sexton, Barn Works. Both phones 401.

The Egyptian garage automobile, Metropolis, meet all trains and boats. Fare 25 cents, same as hacks. Phone 27.

—Mrs. Letha Farter, 106½ North Fourth street, has moved to 127½ South Fourth street.

The greatest variety of typewriter papers from onion skin to heavy ledgers, in all sizes from half to full, equally among her children. She handles no executives.

—Soils Filed in Circuit Court.

J. V. Nabb, excuser, filed suit against the Sovereign camp of the Woodmen of the World for \$1,000 alleged to be due on an insurance policy on the life of V. C. Nash, who is alleged to have committed suicide at Princeton several months ago.

—R. V. Hill filed suit for divorce from Animal Hill, alleging abandonment and adultery as grounds for the divorce.

Marietta Sando filed suit against H. F. Sando for divorce. The couple was married in July, 1885, and abandonment is alleged as the cause for the application for divorce.

Gip Husband, executor of the estate of L. D. Husband, filed suit against J. M. Reckman for the payment of a balance due on two notes.

L. S. Shelton filed suit against Louis Pollock and Ada Pollock for \$215 50 alleged due as a balance due on a note. He alleges the note is due on the purchase of a four cylinder automobile.

Charlotte Tonks, administrator of the estate of Alfred Tonks, filed suit against M. H. Efinger & company and others for a settlement of the estate. Mrs. Tonks seeks the property due her as his wife.

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If you have a bad cold, or just a slight one, stop at the store on your way home and start tonite—tomorrow night you'll be well.

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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Pretty Wedding of Paducah Man and Princeton Girl.

The Caldwell County News of January 27, says of the Pickering-Phillips wedding in Princeton:

The marriage of Miss Ruth Cholrine Pickering to Mr. George Johnson Phillips which took place yesterday afternoon at the Central Presbyterian church in this city was one of the prettiest church weddings that has been witnessed here for some time. The Rev. R. H. Anthony, pastor of the church, officiated. The ceremony was performed in the center of the altar and beneath a large white dove, that was perched at the point where two long white ribbons that were suspended from the ceiling on either side of the pulpit, came together. Above the dove had been placed the letter 'P.' The church was beautifully decorated and lighted for the occasion, the rostrum, in front of which the marriage took place, was artistically decorated in a profusion of palms and ferns and dotted here and there were Cathedral candlesticks which gave a lovely glow and added to the beauty of the event. Just as the clock marked the hour of 3:15 o'clock the bridal party entered the door, little Miss Louis Cole, who acted as ring bearer, entering first. She was followed by the bride who was attended by her brother, Mr. Fred Pickering, and following them came the groom, attended by Mr. Frank Pickering, another brother of the bride's who acted as best man. The party separated at the door, and to the sweet strains of the beautiful wedding march, Lohengrin, played by Mrs. M. H. Keil, the bride leaning on her brother's arm gracefully moved down the right aisle, immediately behind the little ring bearer, who carried the ring in a Calico Lilly and preceded them to the altar where the three were met by the groom and best man who marched down the left aisle. As the party met the bride was given away by her brother and the happy couple were tailed by Rev. Anthony who, in one of the most appropriate and impressive ceremonies that has been our pleasure to hear, united the lives and destinies of Miss Pickering and Mr. Phillips. Miss Pickering wore a beautiful gown of cream satin trimmed in gold and pearls and carried in a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The groom and best man were attired in the conventional black. Mowers, Clifton Hollowell, Sam Koltinsky, Hubert Young and Hugh Hunter acted as ushers in seating the packed house that witnessed the affair. Three vocal pieces of the bride's own selection were beautifully rendered by the choir before the ceremony took place. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Pickering and comes of one of the oldest and most prominent families in Caldwell county. She is beautiful and very attractive and is one of the most beloved girls in all the city. The groom is the son of Capt. and Mrs. J. M. Phillips, of Paducah, and is popular and widely known. He is associated in business with his father, who has control of the floating stock of the Illinois Central railroad from Pittsburgh to New Orleans. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips left on the afternoon train for New Orleans and other southern points, where they will spend the winter. They will make their future home in Baton Rouge. They were the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents.

The out-of-town visitors were:

Mrs. Kate Craig, Capt. and Mrs. Phillips and James Phillips, Mrs. Frederick, and daughter, Miss Minnie Frederick, of Paducah, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Greer, of Nashville.

Poplar Henderson Girl Married.

The news has reached the city of the marriage of Miss Stella Melton of Henderson, Ky., to Mr. Fred Heron, of Sebree. Miss Melton is a beautiful and accomplished young woman of the blonde type and is of a charming personality. The bridegroom is a prominent young business man and was formerly cashier of the Sebree bank. The bride is a cousin to Misses Kathryn and Nancy Melton, of this city, whom she has frequently visited. She has many friends and admirers here.

Enjoyable Occasion.

Mrs. J. A. McCollum, 523 Elizabeth street, celebrated Thursday in honor of the ninth birthday of her son, Master Verne Wade. The teachers of the Franklin school were entertained at 12 o'clock luncheon. The color scheme, pink and white, was prettily carried out with carnations. The centerpiece was a beautiful white birthday cake, decorated with pink and white wax tapers. A three-course luncheon was served and cake and hot chocolate with whipped cream. Tall vase with white and pink carnations decorated all the rooms. Those present were: Prof. M. Ligon, Miss Rose Flournoy, Miss Ethel Mitchell, Miss Lucy Scott, Miss Elsie Hoechler, Miss Bessie Kernes, Miss Clara Winston, Miss Mabel Roberts, Miss Bertie Leonard, Mrs. Sam Cohen, Mrs. J. A. McCollum, Mrs. Eliza McCollum, Miss Mae Farmer, Mr. Harry Cohen, Mr. John McCollum, Mr. Maurice Cohen.

Pink and white carnations were given as souvenirs of the occasion.

In the afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock Master Verne entertained a number of his little friends with a party. Delightful games were played.

Mr. Frank Lucas has returned from Cadiz, where he has been on business for several days.

Mr. Gregory Barth has returned from Caseyville and accepted a position with Henneberger's.

Olga Vogt, Elizabeth Yarbrough, Maggie McFadden, Marguerite Yarbrough, Frances Yarbrough, Masters Preston, Hartdale, Jimmie Smith, Max Cohen, Joe Humphrey, Roy Johnstone, Graham Smith, Herbert Humphrey, Gordon Plimley, Harry Johnstone, Ida McKinney, Verne Wade, Leonard Smith, Miss Mae Farmer and Miss Annie Mae Yarbrough and Mr. Maurice Cohen and Mr. John McCollum were the junior chaperones. The young host received a number of gifts in remembrance of the occasion.

Art Department Tomorrow.

The Art department of the Woman's club will meet in regular session at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the club house. The program will include several papers concluding the discussion of the gentle painters of Holland.

Pleasant Social Evening.

The social committee of the Broadway Methodist church entertained in a delightful way last evening in the League parlors of the church upstairs. The double rooms were prettily decorated with arrangements in a color-motif of pink and green. Two large dolls dressed in pink were suspended from the center chandelier and attached to each was a card saying:

"Backward, turn backward
O Time, in your flight
Make me a child again
Just for tonight."

Tables were arranged about the rooms and a number of clever contests were featured in making words and in picturing familiar songs. The song contests were dainty pen and ink sketches of charming little musical charms that made attractive souvenirs and were contributed by Miss Happy Newell, of Paris, Tenn. A delightful supper was spread picture style and the partners for supper found by matching pictures of noted men. Quite a number of guests were present.

Junior Warden Missionary Society.

The Junior Warden Missionary society of the Broadway Methodist church will have its regular meeting for January on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Ladies' parlor at the church. It is important that all the members should be present as the Missionary year is nearing the close and the pledges will have to be met.

Delightful Magazine Club Meeting.

The Magazine club was most beautifully entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Louis M. Steele at her home on Jefferson street. A red and white motif was attractively carried out in the decorations. In the delicious two-course luncheon served after the magazine reports. The less were a charming idea, they were in the form of miniature magazines and with the names of the magazines in red letters across them. Red carnations decorated the luncheon plates.

The reports included: The North American Review, "An Appeal of the Politicks to Women," by Mrs. George C. Wallace, "Richard Watson Gilder," by Brander Matthews—Miss Helen Hullitt Lowry.

The Outlook—Mrs. Hal Corbett, Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw, Jr.

The Century, "The Sentinels of Silence,"—Mrs. Earl Palmer.

"The Drama of Moral Force"—Mrs. J. A. Rudy.

Mrs. Stall, of Denver, and Mrs. Evans, of Ohio, were out-of-town guests.

Instructive Program By Educational Department.

The Educational department of the Woman's club is meeting this afternoon at the club. The program is an interesting discussion of live educational topics with musical features.

Hospital League With Mrs. Williamson.

The Hospital league meets with Mrs. Harry Williamson this afternoon at her home, 528 North Sixth street.

Beautiful Card Party For Popular Visitor.

A beautifully appointed party was Miss Hazel McCandless' Rose Euchre on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. J. Goodson, of Dixie, the guest of Mrs. J. H. Hartree.

The handsome McCandless home on North Ninth street which is ideal for entertaining, was a bower of flowers, many of which were gifts to the popular young hostess. Roses and carnations were used throughout the rooms with ferns in a charming color-motif of pink and green.

The tulips were exquisite hand-painted designs in roses and were the clever work of Miss McCandless. The first prize, a gold rose hat pin was won by Miss Nell Hendrick. The lone-hand prize, a hand-decorated plate, in the rose patterns, went to Miss Myrtle Decker. The guest of honor was presented with a pretty pair of rose pink silk hose.

A delicious salad course-luncheon followed the game. Punch was served in the dining-room which was most effective in its appointment. The table was draped in an exquisite cover of Mexican drawn work. The center-piece was a beautiful arrangement of roses and ferns. The punch was rose-colored and the crystal compotes held pink and green bonbons. Mrs. Percy Paxton presided at the crystal punch bowl. Assisting Miss McCandless in the dining-room were: Misses Mary Doyle,

John K. Hendrick will return tonight from Keokuk, where he has been on business.

Mr. George Landrum, of Smithland, was in the city today en route to his home.

Mr. Frank Lucas returned today after a visit to friends in Mayfield.

Mrs. A. W. Barkley, of Jefferson street, left this afternoon for Mayfield on a visit to relatives.

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thern, Miss Nelia Hathfield, Miss H. May Hartree, Miss Alma Kopf.

The latter part of the afternoon was an informal musical program delightfully rendered by Mrs. Goodson, who is a charming musician. She gave some artistic vocal and piano numbers.

The guests were: Messengers A. G. Goodson, J. H. Hartree, Percy Paxton, Harry Williamson, Henry Rudy, Charles De Werthen, Robert MacMillan, David Koger, John J. Henry, Minnie Franklin, Andrew Campbell; Misses Gertrude Scott, Sadie Paxton, Marjorie Hagby, Willie Mae Rasco, Philippa Ingles, Allie Cabell, Nell Hendrick, Marjorie Hagby, Nella Hatfield, Alma Kopf, Little Mae McGlathery, Corinne Winstead, Blanche Illinois, Myrtle Decker, Elizabeth Simon, Mary Scott, Mamie O'Brien, Mabel McNeills.

Mr. Herman Graham, 1301 Jefferson street, is ill at his home of rheumatism.

Miss Nancey Baker, 817 Broadway, is ill at Riverside hospital.

Mrs. Ed. Wetherington, 315 South Third street, accompanied by Miss Julie Morgan and Miss Tessie Castleton, have gone to Cairo on visit to Mrs. Little Elder.

Mr. George Powell, formerly of this city, but now living in Detroit, arrived in the city this morning.

Mr. C. J. Abbott, of the American Express company, left this morning on an inspection tour of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central.

Mr. John R. Hartledge will arrive tonight from Louisville and will visit friends in Lone Oak for several days.

Miss Beth Woodson and Miss Jessie Woodson of Owensboro, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Utterback, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Mae O'Brien, of Galveston, Texas, arrived today on a visit to her uncle, Mr. H. E. Thompson, of Madison street. Mrs. O'Brien will remain in the city for several days before going to New York.

Miss Sarah Sanders will leave tomorrow for Houston, Tex., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. Hughes McKnight.

Mrs. C. P. Housman, 1621 Harrison street, has gone to Mayfield on a visit to relatives.

Mr. John W. Skelton left today for a prospecting trip through Texas.

Mr. H. H. Strow, of Weston, was in the city today on business.

The Rev. Meyer Lovitch has returned from Cincinnati, where he has been visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. W. B. Pace, of Louisville, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Burnett and of Mr. and Mrs. MacLean Burnett, 2005 Broadway.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Buchanan have returned to their home in Saxon, Mo., after visiting Mr. Edward Buchanan, 219 North Sixth street.

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PROVIDING FOR EXAMINATION BY BOARD.

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PROVISIONS OF THE BILL

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28.—While a nurse bill is pending in the legislature not so much fuss is being made about it as at the last session, due probably to the absence of the lobby that brought the measure into such prominence then. The previous bill, having died in the rush of the closing days of the last session, may be the reason that the advocates of the pending bill are trying to "gumshoe" this one through. At any rate very little is heard of it, thought it with some new exceptions the same measure.

It is said by those who are affected by it are only waiting for its enactment to raise the present charge of \$3 a day to \$4 a day, and that the Louisville and Lexington organizations have already so voted. The bill has not yet run the gauntlet of either a house or senate committee, but even if reported favorably will encounter opposition in either branch. The bill provides for the examination and registration of nurses; creates a state board of nurse examiners; an advisory board; defines their duties, and provides penalties for violation of the act.

Members of Board.

The state advisory board for some reason unexplained, is to be composed of the president of State university, the superintendent of public instruction and the attorney general, who shall appoint a state board of nurse examiners, of five persons, who are to be members of the Kentucky state association of graduate nurses and graduated from a reputable training school at least three years. The secretary and treasurer shall be paid a salary fixed by the board, the other members to receive \$5 a day while attending the meetings and traveling expenses.

Each applicant for examination is required to pay a fee of \$10, and if passing a satisfactory examination to be given a certificate and styled a "registered nurse." It is provided that applicants may be registered without examination, when before July, 1911, a diploma is presented, issued by a training school connected with a general or special hospital or infirmary, passed over by a graduate nurse, where a two or three years' course is required, or if the applicant has received, prior to 1889, a diploma after one year's training in any of the aforesaid institutions, under conditions satisfactory to the board, and is engaged in professional nursing for five years after graduation. Nurses in training at the time of the passage of the act, provided they graduate, and those presenting diplomas from other states, may be registered without examination, after payment of \$10.

Most Pass Examination.

Examination is required for all applicants for registration, on or after July 1, 1911, who having graduated from a hospital training school requiring two or more years' course of study, shall be given a certificate after passing a satisfactory examination.

A fine of from \$50 to \$200 is fixed for the first offense, and from \$100 to \$500 for the second offense, for false representation as a registered nurse, and a fine of from \$50 to \$500 is fixed as the penalty for any applicant who shall willfully make any false representation to the state board of nurse examiners.

Another provision of the measure is that the state board may recall and cancel the certificate of any nurse upon charges filed and sustained, which include inefficiency, incompetency, immorality, addled to use of drugs or any other misconduct, which would have prevented the issuance of a certificate in the first instance.

EATS GLASS

HIRAM SMEDLEY FINDS LIGHT GLOVES DELICIOUS.

Incandescent Refreshments Enjoyed As Substitute For His Dope.

Pulverized glass has found a place in the menu of Hiram Smedley, who is being treated for the drug habit, while a prisoner at the county jail. The jail officials have missed incandescent lamps that were placed in his cell, and have learned that Smedley pulverizes and eats them. He pulverizes the glass so fine that it has not injured him, or at least it is not apparent. While the drug is being taken away from him Smedley says his system craves something and he began the practice of eating the fine glass while a patient in a private sanitarium. He also recommends it as a relief for indigestion.

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In Honor of District President, Emil Mayer, of St. Louis.

Mr. Emil Mayer, a prominent attorney of St. Louis and president of district Grand Lodge No. 2, I. O. B. I., will be in the city Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Harmony Lodge.

Mr. Mayer comes in the interest of the order, and during his stay here will endeavor to increase the membership of the local lodge.

The Independent Order of B'nai B'rith is a purely charitable organization, maintaining orphan homes, hospitals, homes for the aged and employment bureaus throughout the civilized world.

Chapter No. 2 has under its care the Jewish Orphan Home at Cleveland and the Hospital for Consumptives at Denver, Colo.

An informal reception will be held by the lodge at the Temple, 1501 on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and a large attendance is expected.

Mois Simon is president of the local lodge, and I. S. Stacy is secretary.

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"About seven years ago my right leg just above my ankle. It irritated me so that I began to scratch it. I began to scratch it and not noticing from my ankle to the knee was one solid scale like a seal. The irritation was always worse at night and would not allow me to sleep on my wife either, and it was completely undermining our health. I lost fifty pounds in weight and was almost out of my mind with pain and fatigue. I would not go to work, on the street or in the presence of company. I would have to scratch it until I had the blood running down into my shoe. I simply cannot describe my suffering during those seven years. The doctor's medicine, loss of sleep, loss to myself and wife is simply intolerable on paper and one has to experience it to know what I am talking about."

"I tried all kinds of doctors and remedies but I might as well have thrown my money down the river. They would dry it up for a little while and fill me with hope only to break out again just as bad if not worse. I had given up hope of ever being cured when I was induced by my wife to give the Cuticura Remedies for a little while. I began to see a change and after taking a dozen bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, in conjunction with the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, the trouble had entirely disappeared and my leg was as fine as the day I was born. Sixty-four years of skin trouble with no signs of a recurrence. I feel perfectly safe in extending to you my heartfelt thanks for the good the Cuticura Remedies have done for me. I shall always recommend them to you."—Franklin W. H. White, 311 E. Calico St., Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 4, 1909."

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TAX REFORM GETS BOOST IN SENATE

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED.

State Senator Comis Introduces Joint Resolution to That End.

MAY VOTE AT NEXT ELECTION

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28.—Another step to secure tax reform in Kentucky was taken, when Senator Thomas A. Comis, of Lexington, introduced in the upper branch of the general assembly a joint resolution providing for the submission to the voters of the state of a constitutional amendment changing the taxing system to a more modern and equitable basis.

Should the amendment be submitted by the legislature, which seems assured, it will be voted on at the regular election in November, 1911, the constitution requiring that all amendments to the organic law must be voted on at an election where members of the general assembly are voted for. An aggressive campaign will be waged for its adoption.

To Close Saloons on Holidays.

Should a bill introduced by Representative W. E. Welch, of the Estill-Powell district, become a law, those who like the "epic that cheers" will be unable to "wet their whistles" on legal holidays in Kentucky. The Welch measure provides that in addition to Sundays all saloons or places where intoxicating liquors are sold by retail, shall be closed on New Year's day, Washington's birthday, Memorial day, July 4, Labor day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas, and any other days that may hereafter be declared legal holidays. This same law is in force in several other states, notably Indiana.

Compulsory Education.

Another link in the chain of the system to reduce illiteracy in Kentucky, is the bill introduced in the house by Representative J. R. Zimmerman, of the Bullitt-Spencer district, providing for the compulsory education of children from seven to fourteen years of age, and the establishment of a system of truant officers in each county. An identical measure has also been introduced in the senate, and both will be pushed to early enactment. All those interested in the child-saving movement and the betterment of the educational system in this state, are strongly backing the measure.

Park at Perryville Battlefield.

Impetus has been given to the movement to establish a public park on the Perryville battlefield in Boyle county, by the bill of Representative W. E. Pitman, of that county, and which carries an appropriation of \$3,000 to cover the cost of converting the property into a public park.

The battle of Perryville was one of the sharpest conflicts of the Civil war. A bill is now pending in the federal congress to make a national memorial park of the famous battlefield, where numbers of gallant Confederate and Union soldiers fell in the line of duty.

Repeal of Barbers' Law.

The expected bill, providing for the repeal of the barbers' examining law, has turned up in the house,

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Representative S. M. Russell, of Todd county, being the author. The repeal bill followed a petition of numerous barbers throughout the state, addressed to the state senate asking for the repeal of the law, which since its enactment several years ago has figured in the courts, being only a few months ago held by the court of appeals to be unconstitutional. The law only affects the cities of the first, second and third classes. Repeated efforts have been made to secure the repeal of the law, but having begun early in this session, the opponents of the statute

Makes Offense a Felony.

The buying and selling of registration certificates will be a felony, punishable by confinement in the penitentiary. If the bill offered in the house by Representative Sulney G. Clay, of Bourbon county, becomes a law, under the present election law, there is no offense committed in the trafficking in of registration certificates, though several attempts, notably in Louisville, local ordinances have been adopted, seeking to provide penalty for their buying and selling. It is argued by the advocates of the measure that the statute denounces a penalty for bribery at elections becomes a felony unless it covers the operations in these certificates, which are the chief essentials of the right to exercise suffrage.

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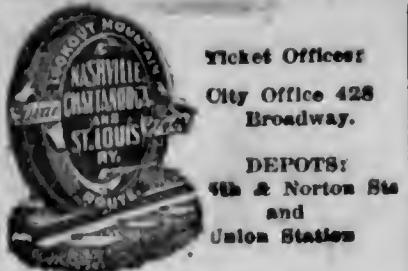
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Ar. Chattanooga	9:27 pm
Lv. Paducah	2:10 pm
Ar. Nashville	8:55 pm
Ar. Memphis	8:40 pm
Ar. Hickman	8:35 pm
Ar. Chattanooga	2:44 am
Ar. Jackson	7:35 pm
Ar. Atlanta	7:10 am
Lv. Paducah	6:00 pm
Ar. Murray	7:32 pm
Ar. Paris	9:15 pm

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Arrive Paducah.

Louisville, Cincinnati, east 8:52 am
Louisville 4:15 pm
Louisville, Cincinnati, east 6:10 pm
Memphis, N. Orleans, south 1:28 pm
Memphis, N. Orleans, south 11:20 am
Mayfield and Fulton 7:40 am
Mayfield and Fulton 8:00 pm
Princeton and E'ville 6:10 pm
Princeton and E'ville 4:15 pm
Princeton and Hop'ville... 9:00 am
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago 7:35 am
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago 8:00 pm
Met'l's, Carbondale, St. L. 11:00 am
Met'l's, Carbondale, St. L. 3:35 pm

Leaves Paducah.

Louisville, Cincinnati, east 1:33 am
Louisville 7:50 am
Louisville, Cincinnati, east 11:25 am
Memphis, N. Orleans south 3:57 am
Memphis, N. Orleans south 6:15 pm
Mayfield and Fulton 4:20 pm
Mayfield, Fulton, Cairo 6:30 am
Princeton and E'ville 1:33 am
Princeton and E'ville 11:25 am
Princeton and Hop'ville... 3:40 pm
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago 9:10 am
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago 6:20 pm
Met'l's, Carbondale, St. L. 9:40 am
Met'l's, Carbondale, St. L. 4:20 pm

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Continued From Last Issue.

CHAPTER XIV.

RAND and McHenry began

"Go to lunch, boys," ordered Brand to the typesetters.
"We'll miss the mail," protested McHenry.
"I don't care. Go to lunch."

The compositors ceased work at the

lunch p. m. and, wondering and whispering, slowly filed out.

"Judith," Brand besought her, "won't you—"

"Listen to me, Wheeler," she broke

"I know everything. Father has

told me everything about his—guilt.

You understand what it means to me—

what he is to me. You must spare him for me!"

"Judith, it's impossible."

"But it is the human thing to do.

Oh, forget these ideals. It's just a

man—a man who loves a woman and

protects her. You do love me, I know,

in spite of everything that you've

done."

"Yes, I love you!" he cried fervently.

"And Wheeler, dear, I've not changed," she told him fondly. "I can see

how right you mean to be—in what

you are trying to do, but in this you

are wrong. Whatever my father may

have done, his intentions were honest.

He had been involved by others and

when he tried to extricate himself it

was too late. They, not he, were

guilty. It was for their sakes, not his

own, that he offered you that money,

so you see you are wrong. Why,

Wheeler, if you belonged to me and

committed a crime I would die to

shield you from the penalty."

Brand answered her quickly.

"That is wrong reasoning."

"No, no; it is right. That must al-

ways be," she cried. "It is like—like

a law of life. Can you see that too?

I belong to you. Yes, I belong to you,

and you should shield me. You must

feel toward my father as he were your

own because he is mine. It's not pos-

sible that you would do this thing to

your own father. Think of him that

way—your own father! You'll not re-

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Bradley—Permitting limited edu-

cational suffrage for women.

Holland—Regulating establishment

of industrial schools.

Holland—Adopting Carroll's Ken-

tucky statutes 1909 as law of Ken-

tucky.

Holland—Relating to holding in-

surance agencies.

Holland—Relating to non-forfei-

ture of insurance policies after three

annual payments are made.

Hollins—Requiring insurance com-

panies to have net assets equal to

liabilities to stop issuing policies until

they are equal.

Lackey—Amending pharmacy law.

In the Senate.

The committee on penitentiaries

and houses of reform reported fa-

vorably the E. M. Taylor bill increas-

ing the salaries of the prison com-

misioners.

The committee on revenue and tax

station reported favorably on the

Beard bill to authorize the refunding

and repayment of inheritance taxes

where the amount of the legacy is

less than \$500.

The committee on criminal law

reported favorably the Newcomb bill

which provides a prison term for

any person who takes an automobile

from any garage without the consent

of the owner.

Hospital Bill Passes.

The committee on public health re-

ported favorably on the bill appro-

priating \$30,000 to the state board

of health for enlarging its scope.

Senator L. W. Arnett, of Covington,

introduced a bill to abolish the

**BOUTELL SPEAKS
FOR THE TARIFF**

COMMON SENSE OF TAFT WILL
RESULT IN RE-ELECTION.

He Asks Whether or Not Tariff Has
Retarded Prosperity—
Promises Loyalty.

SAYS IT WILL BE JUSTIFIED

Washington, Jan. 28.—Admitting that the Payne tariff law would have to be justified by its results, Representative Boutell of Illinois, defended the new law in the house today.

President Taft had been criticized, he said, because he had declared the Payne act was the best tariff law ever passed by congress.

"The common sense and sagacity of President Taft will be recognized by his re-election in 1912," he said, and added:

"It has been claimed that the tariff act has not brought prosperity and that it will retard prosperity."

When the Democrats applauded this last statement and laughed in derision, Mr. Boutell sharply rebuked them.

Party Loyalty.

"Why is it," he asked, "that the Democrats always applaud any tale of misfortune or prediction of adversity?"

Then the Republicans laughed and applauded, and the Democrats lapsed into silence.

"I think," said Mr. Boutell, an-

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Men's Shoes were \$2.00, now... \$1.25
Women's Shoes were \$3.50... \$2.35
Women's Shoes were \$3.25... \$2.50
Women's Shoes were \$2.75... \$1.95
Women's Shoes were \$2.00... \$1.45
Men's Suits were \$13.50, now... \$9.00
Men's Overcoats were \$11... \$7.50
Men's Overcoats were \$7.50... \$4.49
Boys' Overcoats were \$4.50... \$2.50
Boys' Overcoats were \$3.00... \$1.99
Boys' Overcoats were \$2.00... \$1.25
Men's Pants were \$4.00, now... \$2.50
Men's Pants were \$3.50, now... \$2.00
Men's Pants were \$2.50, now... \$1.69
Men's Hats were \$2.50, now... \$1.89
Men's Hats were \$2.00, now... \$1.25
Men's Hats were \$1.50, now... \$0.99
Men's Hats were \$1.25, now... \$0.69
Men's Hats were \$1.00, now... \$0.50
Men's Hats were \$0.50, now... \$0.17c
Bed Comforts were \$1.25, now... 89c
Bed Blankets were \$1.25, now... 89c
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3 cans Salmon... 25c
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ATHLETIC

EVENT AT RUSSELLVILLE NEXT
MAY.

Bethel College Invites High School
to Participate In
It.

The athletic department of the Bethel college at Russellville, has written to the High school athletic association, inviting the school to participate in a track and field meet to be held May 14. The meet will be held at the college, and will comprise men from the smaller colleges and principal High schools of the state. It is uncertain whether High school will develop a track team this spring.

Basketball.

Some good sport was enjoyed last night when four basketball teams of the High school furnished a double-header. The game between the two girls' teams resulted in a victory for the first team by a score of 9-5. The first team of the boys defeated the Olympian team, 31-22. The girls lined up: First—Hannah Dodson, center; Ira Jones and Ida Lee Steager, forwards; Ruth McChesney and Edna McLaughlin, guards.

Second—Clara Stewart, center; Ruby Morton and Henrietta Kuhn, forwards; Pauline Rock and Grace Stewart, guards.

The boys lined up:

First—King, center; Ogilvie and Sills, forwards; Hughes and M. Mitchel, guards.

Olympian—Yarbrough, center; Graham and Gardner, forwards; Wilhelm and Harth, guards.

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price

RIVER NEWS

RIVER STAGES.

Pittsburgh... 9.8 2.5 rise
Cincinnati... 35.5 3.9 fall
Louisville... 14.5 4.3 fall
Evansville... 38.4 0.2 fall
Mt. Vernon... 38.1 0.0 std
Mt. Carmel... 20.5 0.5 fall
Nashville... 15.8 1.8 fall
Chattanooga... 6.3 0.7 fall
Florence... 6.3 0.7 fall
Johnsonville... 12.1 0.2 fall
Calro... 38.8 0.1 rise
St. Louis... 13.8 0.2 rise
Paducah... 34.0 0.2 rise
Burnside... 6.3 0.5 fall
Carthage... 9.0 1.5 fall

RIVER FORECAST.

The river here will rise slowly during the next 12 hours and come to a stand.

Today's Arrivals.

Dick Fowler from Cairo; George Cowling from Metropolis; Bottie Owen from Brookport; Ohio from Golconda; Kentucky from Riverton, Ala.; Joe Fowler from Evansville.

Today's Departures.

Dick Fowler from Cairo; Kentucky for Metropolis; Ohio for Golconda; George Cowling for Metropolis; Bottie Owen for Brookport; T. H. Davis for Joplin; Joe Fowler for Evansville.

River and Weather.

The stage of the river this morning at 7 o'clock was 24 feet, indicating a rise of two-tenths of a foot in 24 hours. Weather clear and colder and business good.

Boat on the Wharf.

The Dick Fowler returned at 10 o'clock last night from Cairo after enjoying a god trip along the lower Ohio. She departed for Cairo at 8 o'clock this morning with a good trip.

Neck and neck the John T. Lowry and John S. Hopkins arrived at 7 o'clock last night from Evansville and both departed at 8:30 o'clock. Both enjoyed good trips.

Tom Latham went out second en-

gager on the Hopkins last night.

The ferryboat Hettie Owen brought a large amount of corn from Illinois to this port yesterday afternoon.

Other steamers are handling all the corn they can carry.

Charles Hamlet went out on the Richardson as steersman.

Loaded to her guards the Kentucky arrived at 7 o'clock this morning from the Tennessee river. She had 150 head of live stock for Paducah, besides poultry, eggs, corn and

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